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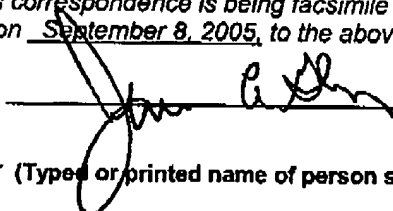
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No. 09/830,251 : Group Art Unit: 1751  
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For METHODS FOR LAUNDERING DELICATE GARMENTS IN A WASHING  
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SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS REGARDING PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE

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Dear Sir:

The following comments are being submitted regarding payment of the Issue Fee for the above-referenced patent application. A Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee transmittal for the above-referenced patent application was sent by the U.S. Patent and Trademark on February 23, 2004. A Request for Continued Examination was submitted by Applicants on March 26, 2004. A Supplemental Notice of Allowability was subsequently sent by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 25, 2005. However, a new Issue Fee transmittal was not provided at that time by the Office. In accordance with verbal instructions provided by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's Customer Service for Issue/Publication Fees (703-308-6789), Applicants were instructed to cross out the due date of May 24, 2004 on the original Issue Fee Transmittal and in its place insert a due date of July 25, 2005. On June 15, 2005, Applicants faxed this Issue Fee Transmittal to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. An Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission was received by Applicants on June 15, 2005 indicating that this Issue Fee Transmittal was received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. On August 24, 2005, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office sent Applicants another Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Transmittal for the above-referenced patent application. Applicants are resubmitting herewith the Issue Fee Transmittal utilizing the Issue Fee Transmittal form sent by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to Applicants on August 24, 2005. Please apply the Issue Fee payment from the June 15, 2005 Issue Fee Transmittal to this current transmittal.

Applicants' attorney can be contacted directly at 513-627-4132 should there be any questions or concerns related to this.

Respectfully submitted,

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